

README

Advantages of the Ken Jones Scripture Commentaries in comparison with others

1. My commentaries are FREE and Word format editable.
2. My viewable Book of Mormon commentary is PDF format (6 MB), designed specifically for a Tablet or iPad (smart phone and Kindle??) and key word searchable. Just a mouse click away for all references. Also viewable with a PC, just not as convenient as using a Tablet or iPad.
3. The backbone of my commentaries are the complete standard works with the linked references corresponding to some of those given in my Institute Classes.
4. On a recent trip to Deseret Book I reviewed 3 or 4 Book of Mormon commentaries that were \$30 or more a pop that consists of their specific ideas! They all had much the same information plus the inconvenience of having to refer to the index and then turn the pages to find your subject of interest.
5. My majority references and articles are attached to my commentaries or linked to the internet (just a mouse click away) from Institute Instructors Cal Stephens and Jeff Chadwick who are the primary providers of my reference information and they also provided scripture clarification for younger readers.

Commentary Download Instructions

1. You can use FamilySearch.org for download of the PDF version of my Scripture Commentaries. (Word documents cannot be downloaded to this web site)
2. (1) Search for my Dad's ID being **KL77-YXK**
(2) Left- Click on the name of **Leonard Gage Jones** and then **left click on Memories**,
(3) Scroll down to the list of documents and left click on the desire PDF document to download.
(4) Left-Click on the **Details** icon  to the center of right on the page and then left-click on **Download Original** in the rectangle box to the right.
(5) Left-click on the **dist.pdf** file to open the file.
(6) Mouse up to the **upper-right corner** of the screen and left click on the  icon to enable saving the document. At this point you can correct the name of the document from **dist.pdf** to the desired name and directory on your computer.

NOTE: The reason I use my Dad's ID number is because these scripture commentaries I have stored to my name are not viewable anyone else but me until I die! So I have also tagged my father with these document commentaries located in Memories of the Family Search web site under his name and ID number.

If any problems are encounter with this process, simply call 1-866-406-1830 for tech support for this web site or call me, Ken Jones at 801-479-0955.

3. I have used [Archive.org](https://archive.org) to upload my scripture commentaries in both PDF and Microsoft Word 2010 format. I have changed the title of my Microsoft word documents to the following, for example **Book of Mormon_MW 8 July 2016.docx**. The addition of the letters **_MW** in the title allow me to store both Microsoft Word and PDF formats of the same document to this archive web site.

To download one or more of my commentary documents go to the [Archive.org](https://archive.org) website and do the following:

- (1) Enter **Kenneth Gage Jones** in the **search box** in the upper-right hand corner of the screen and hit the enter key on your keyboard. All of my scripture commentaries and related documents will display.
- (2) Left-click on the title of the individual commentary you wish to download first.
- (3) Using the **Download Options** dialog box to the right, **Click the PDF or Word Document** download option for the document you have selected.
- (4) Left-click on the document name displayed in the **lower-left corner** of the **Task Bar** to download the file to your computer.
- (5) If the **File > Save As** menu option does not appear on your computer, Right click on a page of the document to enable the **Save As** option.

NOTE: I suggest starting with downloading the **README.pdf** file first and then the other commentaries as desired. I also correct and update my standard Works Commentaries often. Check for the date in the document title to see if you are current. The FS.org website will only allow PDF format upload of my commentaries.

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Further Musings

I propose that the future of Gospel scholarship could be similar to what I have compiled in my documents for the Book of Mormon and my other scripture commentaries. Within each of the individual commentaries, scriptures are imbedded with relevant Standard Works cross reference footnotes, text and references. The scriptures cross referenced to the footnotes of the standard works are indicated by a superscript following the key word. An additional feature I have added are hyperlinks to the various pertinent topics being conference talks or other internet references. My source work is Microsoft Word 2010 which I convert to PDF for viewing.

Another advantage to familiarity with my hyperlink format is exposure to the different internet websites for gospel research of your own gospel topics that you could add to your own copy of this commentary.

Currently most all serious LDS gospel commentaries are limited to books one must pay serious bucks for. Even using the internet commentaries requires one having his scriptures open while reviewing the pertinent commentary.

I encourage others to take what I have done and modify it in any way they desire to conform to their specific needs. The advantage of one having this Microsoft word source material is that they can use my Book of Mormon scriptures backbone.

I would appreciate receiving an e-mail of any errors, suggestions or comments you might have pertaining to this project. Just e-mail me at kenjones39@hotmail.com

Commentary Navigation

My Home Page (page 1) has hyperlinks to all the different sections of this commentary and consequently sometimes has Returns that are shown like this [Return to Table of Contents](#) at the end of that section. Clicking on anything that is underlined in blue is a hyperlink. Click on it and it will take you someplace else.

Within the chapters there are different links to various scriptures and articles. One like this [\(1 Ne 13:26-29\)](#) goes to the scripture at LDS.org. Click on the previous

reference Ne 13:26-29 and see. After viewing the scriptures simply exit out of the web page.

I started out actually copying the scripture references to my commentary to show, by color designation, who contributed the scripture or reference. An article has the same hyperlink and hyperlink return format at the beginning and end of the article.

After figuring out how to link to a scripture or an article on the internet I had this format (**D&C 85:6**) <http://tinyurl.com/DnC85v6> where the **green** color of the scripture signifies that Jeff Chadwick was the contributor and the “tinyurl” is the link to the LDS scripture web site. I finally quit this nonsense of trying to give credit to the entity that contributed the reference and simply used a straight hyperlink like for the 1 Nephi scripture above in the 2nd paragraph

Notice that I have a superscript for footnotes found in the scriptures like path^a ([2 Ne 31:17-20](#)) where the **a** superscript to the right of the word “path” signifies that a useful footnote from the scriptures exists and was used by me for the word “path”.

Upon occasion I will reference a lengthy talk or article that makes it difficult to find the particular reference subject within. This problem is easily solved with the key strokes <CTRL>< F> wherein a search can be made of the particular talk or article by typing in the desired search words and then arrowing down to the particular search hit (if there are more than one).

The beginning page for each separate book in the complete Book of Mormon has a reference color coding to explain the abbreviations and coloring to identify the contributing source.

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